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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 23,472 Week ago: 26,629 Year ago: 23,723 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

<u>Fdr.</u>	STEERS:	<u>Fdr. F</u>	<u>IEIFERS:</u>	Hols.	<u>STEERS</u>
362 lbs.	119.87	358 lbs.	107.43	345 lbs.	74.61
457 lbs.	114.38	459 lbs.	100.42	444 lbs.	76.27
555 lbs.	109.66	555 lbs.	98.10	523 lbs.	72.32
651 lbs.	105.13	648 lbs.	94.80	640 lbs.	70.51
738 lbs.	100.78	746 lbs.	92.56	754 lbs.	67.67
834 lbs.	95.46	830 lbs.	86.79	855 lbs.	66.62
935 lbs.	91.36			934 lbs.	65.00

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3600 Week ago: 2924 Year ago: 3200 Cow and Bull Receipts: 800 Week Ago: 696 Year Ago: 864 Compared to last week, steer calves under 450 lbs 2.00-4.00 lower, light test under 450 lbs 4.00-8.00 lower, steers over 700 lbs steady to 3.00 lower. Heifer calves 2.00-4.00 lower, yearling heifers 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows traded steady, bulls 1.00 to mostly 2.00 lower.

STEI	ERS:	<u>HEIFERS</u> :	
Medium a	nd Large 1	Medium ar	nd Large 1
300-400 lbs.	114.50-115.00	Pkg 380 lbs.	110.00
400-500 lbs.	108.00-115.00	400-500 lbs.	95.00-102.00
500-600 lbs.	102.00-112.00	500-600 lbs.	94.00-103.00
600-700 lbs.	97.00-107.00	600-700 lbs.	88.00-96.50
700-800 lbs.	92.50-97.50	700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	90.00-92.00	Lot 850 lbs.	87.00
Load 961 lbs.	88.00	900-1000 lbs	Scarce
Holsteins Large 3		SLAUGHTER COWS:	
		Breaking and Bo	oning (70-85%
Lot 633 lbs.	72.50	lean) 42.00-47.5	

<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2150 lbs 55.00-60.00, few high dressing 62.00-63.00.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 3-5 yrs 850-1100 lbs with 300-350 lb calves 950.00-995.00 per pair, small pkg 3-4 yrs 800 lbs with 450-550 lb calves 1150.00.

REPLACEMENT COWS:

Medium and Large 1 2-7 yrs 1000-1375 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 675.00-800.00 per head, few Large 1-2 1270-1440 lb blk 3rd stage 900.00-1000.00, ind. 4 yrs 1635 lbs 1070.00. Medium 1 -2 785-1050 lbs several thin condition 2nd and 3rd stage 650.00-745.00 per head, pkg 2-4 yrs 968 lbs 3rd stage 780.00.

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 7776 Week ago: 6832 Year ago: 6621 Cow and Bull Receipts: 1704 Week ago: 1438 Year ago: 1905 Compared to last week, steers under 700 lbs steady to 2.00 lower, over 700 lbs 1.00-3.00 lower, Holsteins under 600 lbs steady, over 600 lbs steady to 2.00 lower, heifers steady to 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows and bulls 1.00-3.00 lower.

STEERS:

Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	116.00-125.00 105.00-119.00 103.00-116.00 100.00-110.00 96.00-104.00 92.00-94.50 Scarce	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	102.00-114.00 92.00-104.00 93.00-103.00 91.50-100.00 85.00-94.00 Scarce Scarce
	Frame 3 65.00-79.00 75.00-79.00 67.00-75.00 66.50-74.00 62.00-70.00 60.00-69.50 64.50-67.50	SLAUGHTER C and Boning (70-8 48.00, high dress few outstanding 3 (85-90%) 33.00-ing 23.00-33.00 SLAUGHTER B Grade 1-2 1165- 65.00; high dress	85% lean) 41.50- ing 46.50-52.50, 53.50-54.50, Lean 40.00, low dress- ULLS: Yield 2365 lbs 57.00-
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 2nd and 3rd stage 960-1360 lbs most 650.00- 860.00 per head, some more attractive 900.00-950.00.		COW & CALF P and Large 1-2 2-7 cows with 140-47 rebred, most 925. with baby calves	yrs 950-1350 lb 75 lb calves, some 00-1150.00, few

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 1946 Week ago: 1050 Year ago: 1967 Compared to last week, feeder cattle sold steady. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:	FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1	Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	117.00-127.50	400-500 lbs.	105.00
500-600 lbs.	111.50-117.00	500-600 lbs.	98.25-102.00
600-700 lbs.	106.75-114.00		95.00-103.25
700-800 lbs.	102.75-105.75		89.75-97.25
800-900 lbs.	95.90-98.75	800-900 lbs.	87.50-88.00
900-1000 lbs.	92.20	900-1000 lbs.	84.00

<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield Grade 1-2 1450-2290 lbs 55.00-62.00, low dressing 51.50-54.75

<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u> Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 44.00-48.00, high dressing 46.75-50.50, lean 37.00-43.00

BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 1200-1425 lbs good to fancy 3rd stage blks 1200.00-1475.00 per head <u>COW/CALF PAIRS:</u> Medium and Large 1 Scarce

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)
Receipts: 3206 Week Ago: 2999 Year Ago: 2177
Compared to last week, feeders were uneven, from 5.00 lower to 3.00

higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower.

<u>FEEDER ST</u> Medium and Larg		FEEDER I Medium and L	
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	107.00-121.00 100.00-118.50 94.85-110.50 92.00-106.00 92.00-99.50		103.50-109.00 95.00-107.00 94.00-104.50 90.00-100.50 88.25-97.85 Scarce Scarce
REPLACEMENT CO dium and Large 1-2 S		SLAUGHTER Co and Boning (75-8 48.75, High dress Lean (85-90%) 4 dressing 33.00-41	5% lean) 43.00- sing 48.25-52.75, 1.75-46.50, low
COW & CALF PAIR and Large 1-2 Scarce		SLAUGHTER B Grade 1-2 1275- 62.50; high dress low dressing 51.2	2205 lbs 56.00- ing 62.00-64.00;

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, Macon) Receipts: 2919 Week ago: 4984 Year ago: 3766

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower.

<u>FEEDER S</u> Medium and L			HEIFERS: Large 1& 1-2
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.		400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	98.50-110.50 95.50-103.50 95.00-103.00 90.00-103.00 93.00-95.00 Scarce Scarce
SLAUGHTER STE ERS: Select and G 77.00-82.00			
REPLACEMENT (and Large 1-2 few 1 1300 lbs 3rd stage 8 per head, pkg 1175	5-7 yrs 1100- 350.00-1050.00	SLAUGHTER I Grade 1-2 1300- 64.00, few high 67.50	2300 lbs 54.00-
NODELLE			

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)
Feeder Cattle Receipts: 672 Week ago: 2552 Year ago: 343
Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 62 Week ago: 68 Year ago: 37
Compared to last week, feeder and heifers 1.00-3.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 1.00 higher.

	FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1-2	
400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	101.25-111.00 100.00-105.25 95.75-99.25 96.10-96.80		Scarce Scarce 94.50-99.25 92.75-96.50 89.75-90.25 Scarce	
<u>SLAUGHTER ST</u> 3 1200-1400 lbs 8			COWS: Breaking 85% lean) 46.00-ing 42.00-44.50	

<u>SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:</u> Choice 2 <u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield <u>-3 1100-1250 lbs 80.00-80.25</u> <u>Grade 1-2 1400-2050 lbs 55.25-</u>

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Large 1-2 Scarce

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts: 1250 Week ago: 996 Year ago: 1637

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers uneven, 3.00 lower to

2.00 higher. Slaughter cow and bulls steady.

FEEDER Medium and			HEIFERS: nd Large 1-2
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.		400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs.	90.00-106.00 90.00-106.00 82.00-96.00 80.00-90.00 80.00-82.00 Scarce
REPLACEMENT Medium and Larg -1370 lbs 2nd and 670.00-760.00 per	e 1-2 4-7 yrs 895 3rd stage	SLAUGHTER C and boning (75-8 48.00, high dress Lean 36.00-40.5	35% lean) 42.00- sing 49.50-52.00;
COW & CALF Pa and Large 1-2 4-7 lbs with 70-110 lb 950.00 per pair.	7 yrs 850-1345	SLAUGHTER E Grade 1-2 few 52.75-58.00.	

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Receipts: 2590 Week ago: 4566 Year ago: 3628

FEEDER STEERS:

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower.

Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	117.00-126.25	300-400 lbs.	104.00-106.50
400-500 lbs.	112.00-125.00	400-500 lbs.	97.50-107.00
500-600 lbs.	108.75-119.75	500-600 lbs.	95.00-103.00
600-700 lbs.	101.00-112.25	600-700 lbs.	92.75-99.75
700-800 lbs.	99.00-104.25	700-800 lbs.	86.50-89.60
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	85.75-86.25
and Large 1-2 2-5 yrs 975-1150 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 725.00-890.00 per head		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 42.00-48.00, high dressing 46.00-50.00, Lean (85-90%) 38.00-44.00	
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 scarce		<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2000 lbs 54.00-59.75, high dressing 61.00-65.00.	

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts: 800 Week ago: 200 Year ago: 600 Compared to last week, trade rather slow. No recent comparison for live sales and dressed sales 1.00 higher.

STEERS AND HEIFERS: Steers 60-80% Choice 1350 lbs 83.50 late last Friday	<u>DRESSED STEERS:</u> few 60-80% Choice 130.00-132.00
DRESSED HEIFERS: few 60-80% Choice 130.00-132.00	GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 135.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 5713 Week ago: 6179 Year ago: 8309 Compared to last week's close barrows and gilts 1.00 lower to 1.00 higher, Sows 1.00 to 3.00 higher

BARROWS AND GILTS: SOWS:

Base carcass meat price 39.00-300-500 lbs 18.00-24.00 43.00, weekly top Tuesday 44.00 Over 500 lbs 24.00-30.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 15.036 (8-28-09)

Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady, feeder pigs not tested. Supply and demand light.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights 39% formulated 15,036 hd 10 lbs 5.00-39.66 weighted average 10 lbs 19.66

Feeder pigs 40-50 lbs base weights 0% formulated No Sales.

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	423.00	342.50	360.00	84.00
St. Louis	428.00	331.00	367.50	73.50

Midwest Exchange Sheep and Goat Market 08/27/09 Receipts: 440 Last Week: 390 Last Year: 256

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 60-100 lbs 105.00-115.00; pkg 80 lbs 118.00; pkg 60 lbs 122.00; 130-140 lbs 89.00-94.00; pkg 120 lbs 111.00. hair lambs: 60-100 lbs 90.00-100.00; pkg 77 lbs 109.00. Feeder Lambs: hair 35-60 lbs 81.00-83.00. Slaughter Ewes: utility and Good 1-3 120-190 lbs 35.00-43.00. Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 2-4 yrs 150-220 lbs 42.00-46.00. Slaughter Bucks: 200-300 lbs 27.00-33.00. Goats: Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 70-90 lbs 76.00-88.00; pkg 98 lbs 94.00; 50-70 lbs 60.00-80.00. Selection 2-3 60-70 lbs 62.00-72.00; 40-60 lbs 45.00-60.00. Nannies Selection 1-2 90-130 lbs 62.00-72.00. Selection 2-3 80-120 lbs 42.00-62.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 150-180 lbs 122.50-132.50. Feeder/Replacement Kids: Selection 3 35-40 lbs 22.00-26.00. Sheep per cwt goats per head

Springfield Livestock Marketing Center Special Dairy Sale $(08/25/\overline{09})$

Receipts: 553 Last Month: 549 Last Year: 646 Springer Heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1260.00-1380.00, Crossbreds 1175.00-1250.00; Approved 1025.00-1290.00, Crossbreds 1060.00-1200.00; Medium 800.00-950.00, Crossbreds 760.00-975.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Approved 985.00-1230.00, Crossbreds 1035.00-1085.00. Heifers bred one to three months: Medium pkg Crossbreds 800.00. Open Heifers: Approved pkg 266 lbs Crossbreds 530.00; 300-400 lbs 480.00-570.00; 400-500 lbs 670.00-710.00, pkg Crossbreds 550.00; pkg 508 lbs 775.00; 600-700 lbs 790.00-820.00. Medium 300-400 lbs Crossbreds 385.00-420.00; 400-500 lbs 470.00-530.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh and Milking Cows: Supreme: 1300.00-1500.00; Approved 1175.00-1260.00; Medium 800.00-1080.00. Springer cow bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1300.00-1400.00; Approved 975.00-1080.00; Medium 660.00-935.00. Cows bred three to six months: Approved: 980.00-1225.00; Medium 800.00-900.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 200.00-360.00; Holstein Bulls: 50.00-95.00; Jersey bulls few 20.00

Buffalo—Buffalo Livestock Market Sheep and Goat Sale 08/25/09

Receipts: 1001 Last Month: 1159 Last Year: 1265 Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice 1-2 wooled and shorn 50-60 lbs 112.00 -118.00; 60-80 lbs 95.00-111.00; 80-90 lbs 94.00-98.00; 105-160 lbs 84.00-100.00. Hair lambs: 50-60 lbs 112.00-127.00; 60-70 lbs 100.00-116.00; 70-80 lbs 91.00-96.00; 100-115 lbs 84.00-93.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: wooled 30-50 lbs 110.00-112.00. Hair lambs: 30-40 lbs 72.50-112.50; 40-50 lbs 71.00-115.00. Slaughter ewes: wooled Utility and Good 1-3 125-223 lbs 40.00-41.00. Hair ewes: 95-108 lbs 39.00-44.00. Bucks: hair 88-160 lbs 35.00-42.00. Replacement ewes: Hair 58-148 lbs 43.00-75.00. Bucks: Wooled 250-325 lbs 40.00-57.00. Bucks: wooled 250-325 lbs 40.00-57.00. Hair 125-150 lbs 40.00-44.00. Goats: Slaughter Classes: Kids: Selection 1 40-50 lbs 120.00-139.00; 50-60 lbs 131.00 -138.00; 60-70 lbs 125.00-139.00; 70-80 lbs 106.00-125.00; 80-90 lbs 70.00-114.00; Selection 2 40-50 lbs 106.00-127.50; 50-60 lbs 121.00-130.00; 60-70 lbs 110.00-118.00; 70-80 lbs 107.50-114.00. Does/ Nannies: Selection 2 yearlings 35-85 lbs 50.00-81.00; Selection 2-3 67-125 lbs 35.00-56.00. Billies: Selection 2 90-205 lbs 50.00-79.00; aged wethers 70-125 lbs 45.00-76.00. Billies: Selection 1 150.00-190.00 per head. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs 90.00-109.00; 30-40 lbs 90.00-113.00; Selection 3 20-30 lbs 61.00-90.00

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .22 to 1.12 higher, Wheat .07 to .08 higher, Corn unch to .03 higher, KC Wheat .07 higher, SB Meal 16.20 to 47.30 higher.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans Sep Nov Jan Mar May	1080 1007 1/2 1009 1/2 1007 1001 1/2	1091 999 1001 1/4 997 1/4 988 3/4	1090 1/2 996 1/2 997 3/4 993 1/2 985 1/4	1114 1/4 996 997 1/2 993 1/2 985 1/4	1135 3/4 1011 1011 3/4 1007 1/4 999 1/4
Wheat Sep Dec Mar May Jul	471 3/4 499 1/4 518 3/4 531 3/4 544	471 498 3/4 518 1/4 531 534 1/2	478 3/4 506 3/4 526 1/4 539 551 3/4	475 503 522 1/2 535 1/4 548	467 495 1/4 514 3/4 527 3/4 540 1/4
Corn Sep Dec Mar May Jul	239 1/2 335 1/2 342 1/4 358 1/2 367 1/4	321 1/2 326 3/4 340 1/2 349 3/4 358 1/4	320 1/2 326 1/4 340 349 1/4 357 1/2	323 329 1/4 343 352 1/4 360	321 329 342 3/4 351 1/2 360
KC Wheat Sep Dec Mar May Jul	503 1/4 519 535 1.2 546 3/4 558	504 3/4 520 1/2 536 1/4 547 1/2 558 3/4	511 527 543 554 1/2 565 3/4	508 1/2 524 3/4 540 1/4 551 3/4 563	500 516 3/4 533 544 1/4 555 3/4
SB Meal Sep Oct Dec Jan Mar	346.20 308 299.90 296.90 294.50	358.00 308.50 298.50 295.70 292.70	363.00 308.60 298.50 295.50 292.40	379.00 308.50 296.50 293.30 290.10	387.00 320.00 308.50 305.00 301.50

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .25 to 1.90 lower, Lean Hogs uneven .18 higher to .82 lower, Pork Bellies 4.05 to 4.90 lower, Feeder Cattle 2.10 to 2.65 lower.

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle Aug Oct Dec Feb Apr	85.17 88.80 88.22 88.22 89.95	85.45 88.75 88.47 88.55 90.30	85.07 87.37 87.57 87.87 89.92	85.17 87.57 87.70 88.02 90.07	84.65 86.70 87.10 87.57 89.70
Lean Hogs Oct Dec Feb Apr May	46.82 46.00 52.05 56.82 63.42	48.30 47.10 52.85 57.57 63.85	47.05 45.40 52.37 57.47 63.75	47.90 46.20 52.67 57.82 64.20	48.07 46.45 52.77 58.25 64.05
Prk Bel Aug Feb Mar May Jul	47.50 79.10 79.55 80.90 83.25	49.00 78.45 78.80 80.15 83.25	49.00 76.45 76.80 78.15 81.25	75.80 76.00 77.55 80.90	76.50 76.25 78.00 81.10
Fdr Cat Aug Sep Oct Nov Jan	100.10 100.32 100.45 100.45 101.37	99.95 99.97 100.12 100.45 101.25	99.80 99.30 99.47 99.70 100.55	99.50 98.82 98.97 99.30 100.27	98.15 98.05 98.55 99.47
Milk Aug Sep Oct	11.22 13.02 13.46	11.21 13.04 13.48	11.21 12.70 13.11	11.20 12.45 12.75	11.22 12.37 12.62

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .33 to 1.38 higher Wheat .13 lower to .06 higher Corn .18 lower to .03 higher Grain Sorghum .03 to .05 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	11.03-11.08 11.09 11.17 11.46 11.61	3.98-4.03 4.00-4.05 4.06-4.11 4.04-4.09 3.95-4.00	3.13-3.18 3.07-3.10 3.06-3.09 3.08-3.11 3.06-3.09	5.02 4.86 4.84 4.89 5.67
St. Louis Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	10.71-10.98 10.65-11.19 10.65-11.17 10.54-11.14 10.69-11.29	3.17 3.07 3.09 3.05 2.97	3.50 3.35-3.41 3.33-3.41 3.31-3.43 3.24-3.21	5.73 5.55 5.55 5.64 5.67
Central Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	1038 10.29-10.49 10.47 10.46 10.61	3.77 3.76-3.77 3.84 3.80 3.72	3.10 3.02 3.01 3.03 3.01	n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a
S.E. MO Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	10.22-10.47 10.29-10.44 10.37-10.47 10.12-10.46 10.71-11.00	3.11-3.17 3.11-3.16 3.19-3.22 3.15-3.20 3.10-3.18	3.19-3.25 3.12-3.16 3.09-3.13 3.08-3.16 3.07-3.14	5.42-6.12 5.32-5.96 5.35-5.41 5.41-5.91 5.44-5.48

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT) *NEW CROP

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Hay demand is light to moderate, supply is heavy, and prices are steady. Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 150.00-180.00 Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV170-180) 140.00-175.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) large round bales 80.00-140.00 Small, Large squares 100.00-150.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.50-6.50 per bale; 30.00-80.00 per large round bale. Good to Premium quality Prairie hay mostly small squares 80.00-125.00 Fair to good quality Prairie hay mostly large round bales 35.00-75.00 Good to Premium quality Brome 90.00-150.00; Good quality Brome 50.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome some mixed with grass 25.00-50.00 per large round bale Good to Premium Mixed Grass hay 75.00-125.00 Good quality Mixed Grass hay 40.00-80.00 Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 20.00-40.00 per large round bale Good quality Timothy Hay 3.50-5.00 per small square bale Wheat straw 2.00-4.00 per small square bale Missouri Crop Progress and Condition Report (08/23/09) Agricultural Summary Cool temperatures returned across the State with heavy rains in the northern third of the State causing some flooding concerns. Statewide, topsoil moisture is rated 8 percent short, 79 percent adequate, and 13 percent surplus. There were 3.8 days suitable for fieldwork. The north-central and northeast districts had less than 2 days suitable for fieldwork, while the south-central and southeast had over 5 days. Field Crops Report Seventy-nine percent of the corn is in dough stage, 1 day ahead of last year but 12 days behind normal. Corn dent is 52 percent complete, 5 days ahead of last year but 10 days behind the normal of 72 percent. Seven percent of the corn is mature, 6 days ahead of last year but 11 days behind normal of 28 percent. Corn condition is rated 2 percent very poor, 7 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 50 percent good, and 15 percent excellent. **Soybean** blooming is at 89 percent, 6 days ahead of last year but 4 days behind a normal of 95 percent. Sixty-five percent are setting pods, 6 days ahead of last year but 8 days behind normal. Soybean condition is rated 3 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 48 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. Sorghum heading is 80 percent, 1 day behind last year and 12 days behind a normal of 92 percent. Sorghum turning color is 26 percent complete, 3 days behind last year and 12 days behind normal. Sorghum is starting to mature in the west-central, central, south-central, and southeast districts. Sorghum condition is rated 4 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 53 percent good, and 10 percent excellent. The third cutting of **alfalfa** is 63 percent complete, 2 days ahead of last year but 10 days behind normal. Pasture & Livestock Pasture condition is rated 3 percent poor, 28 percent fair, 60 percent good, and 9 percent excellent, a slight improvement over last week.